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NEWS ITEMS.

Caleb Cushing sailed for Madrid on the 7th.

The Comstock lode ships daily 120 carloads of ore.

John McCullough, the actor, has gone east on a tour.

Lead pencils are now made in Jersey City entirely by machinery.

Prof. Le Conte has been lecturing on the Darwinian theory in Oakland.

Salinas Valley has one hundred and ten thousand acres of land in cultivation.

The Monterey and Salinas railroad company has filed its articles of incorporation.

The snow blockade on the Central Pacific has been raised, and trains are again on time.

James Sibley of Visalia testifies his faith in alfalfa by sowing thirty-five acres to that grass.

Prof. Swinton, of the State University, has resigned, much to the surprise of his friends.

The Senate has passed the bill appropriating \$4,000 to purchase the portraits of our Governors.

Eighty-two persons died in San Francisco last week, fifty-seven males and twenty-five females.

E. P. Weston, the great pedestrian, challenges the walkers of the Pacific Coast to a trial of speed.

The county records of Solano county are being removed from Fairfield to Vallejo, the new county seat.

The Grangers of Lake county are organizing a co-operative association and will start a store in Lakeport soon.

Oakland increases steadily in population. There were seventeen deaths and twenty-two births in that city, last month.

Many of the wholesale firms of San Francisco have agreed to close their business houses at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoons.

Milton Shephardson, charged with robbing Wells, Fargo & Co's stage in September last, was convicted at Shasta on Saturday.

A bill has been introduced by Assemblyman Welch appropriating \$600,000 for the completion of the Insane Asylum at Napa.

The Butterfields of Hollister are shipping Angora goats and sheep to the Sandwich Islands, where they are going into business.

The Pacific Mail line's steamer Pacific, leaves San Francisco for Wilmington in the evening instead of the morning, as heretofore.

The pupils of St. Ignatius College, San Francisco, have organized a brass band, and the college has bought them a full set of instruments.

The shortest time between Liverpool and San Francisco, eighty-six days and seventeen hours, was made by the clipper ship Panama in 1860.

Winnemucca couples have a mania for getting divorced. The whole attention of the District Court is devoted to disuniting mis-mated couples.

A committee of Congress is engaged in investigating alleged violations of the eight-hour law in the work on the new Postoffice building at New York.

A lady in San Jose lately received an express letter containing an overland railroad ticket, that had been on its way from San Francisco for two years.

The Stockton Board of Trade has issued a pamphlet, descriptive of the city and setting forth the advantages of Stockton and the San Joaquin Valley.

The trial of J. W. Smith for the murder of Frank Haywood last May, at Bakersfield, has been concluded, and a verdict of murder in the second degree returned.

The City of Melbourne sailed from San Francisco for Australia on Saturday. She took forty bags of English mail, for which her departure was delayed several days.

A citizen of Sacramento is the happy possessor of two bottles formerly the property of Emperor Napoleon, and from which it is supposed that he was wont to take his constitutional.

A number of the employees of the New Almaden quicksilver mine have been arrested for stealing quicksilver. Fifteen flasks have been recovered, but a number have been made away with.

A Grange Company has been organized and incorporated at Modesto for the purpose of building and conducting a warehouse and storing, buying, selling and shipping agricultural produce and machinery. The capital stock is \$100,000, divided into shares of \$100 each.

Late Telegrams.

EASTERN.

WASHINGTON, March 10th.
The President has nominated James C. Coy for Postmaster of San Francisco. Nesmith of Oregon, to-day introduced a bill to indemnify the States and citizens of Oregon and California for expenses incurred in the Modoc war.

CHICAGO, March 10th.
General Sheridan is in receipt of dispatches from Lieutenant General Davidson, commanding at Fort Till, giving information from the Kiowa and Comanche agencies in Texas to the 19th of February. Captain Harworth's young men had just returned from the Comanche camps, where they had been counting the people, and reported that on the recent raid the number of Indians who had been killed was variously reported at twelve and twenty-two. But one or two of the raiding parties escaped. This shows that the Reservation Indians, in spite of their promises before the council held last October, have not ceased to raid into Texas.

NEW YORK, March 10th.

Advices from Auckland, New Zealand, by telegraph from Melbourne, state that the ship Allahabad from New Castle, New South Wales, for San Francisco, has put in there, having encountered heavy gales, during which she was thrown on her beam ends, and obliged to cut away her mizenmast, maintopmast and sails to right her. Everything moveable on deck was washed overboard, including three boats and master's and mate's personal effects. The hull is sound. She will be laid up two months for repairs.

PHILADELPHIA, March 9th.

The steamer Pennsylvania which arrived to-day from Liverpool experienced a violent hurricane on the 27th ultimo at midnight. Captain Broadburn, the First and Second Officers and two seamen were swept overboard and lost, and the Fourth Officer had his leg broken. All the deck-houses and boats were swept away. Brady, formerly Third Mate of the ill fated Atlantic, who it will be remembered, swam ashore and secured a line from the Atlantic, thereby being the means of saving a number of lives, was among the stowage passengers on the Pennsylvania, and it was decided to put the ship in his charge, and he brought her safely in. Captain Broadburn, who belonged to Baltimore, had intended to make this his last voyage, as it had been arranged for him to act as Port Warden at Liverpool.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., March 9th.

The boiler of the city water works exploded this forenoon, killing the engineer and demolishing the boiler house. The city is now without water. The Mayor has called a meeting of the Common Council to appoint a special patrol to guard against fire. It will take twenty-four hours to clear away the wreck and get the remaining boiler at work.

ALBANY, (N. Y.), March 9th.

The Governor this evening sent a message to the Legislature announcing the death of ex-President Fillmore. Appropriate resolutions were adopted and a joint committee appointed to attend the funeral.

BOSTON, March 9th.

In the first game of the billiard tournament to-night, Ussay beat Daly 400 to 297. Winners average, 5 points.

LEAVENWORTH, (Ks.), March 9th.
Mrs. Carpenter shot and instantly killed John White, of the Fifth Infantry, who entered her kitchen, locked the door and made improper advances, and refused to go out when ordered.

FOREIGN NEWS.

MADRID, March 10th.

It is reported that General Ceucedes will succeed Governor Ellors, as Captain General of Cuba.

Several prominent Carlists have been expelled from Madrid.

VIENNA, March 9th.

The Hungarian Ministry has resigned.

A serious riot had occurred at Pesth. The military fired on the mob, killing four persons.

LONDON, March 10—6 A. M.

The Daily Telegraph publishes a long statement, signed by Charles Orton. He confesses that he at once recognized the Tichborne claimant as his brother, but that his silence was bought by five pounds paid monthly for a year, with the promise of a thousand or two more at the conclusion of the trial.

Pacific Coast Telegrams.

SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 10th.
Dispatches to-night announce the removal of the snow blockade and that trains east and west are running through nearly on time.

The steamer Orizaba sailed from San Francisco this morning with the following passengers:

Sor San Pedro—K. Mora, Rev J. P. Egert, John Anehlness, Jr., G. Kittle

and wife, C. R. Frank, T. S. Pott, E. A. Denico, F. Baistin, Miss Baistin, P. W. Funda, J. S. Slausen, J. Laris, E. E. Fisher, J. Duly and wife, G. Knowlton, C. Luber, R. H. Dalton, C. Brown and two children, M. G. Streater, wife and lady friend, Geo. A. Baker wife and lady friend, Chas. Wasson and son, B. Lamson, J. Hussey, Mrs. Kinser and three children, Mr. Barton and wife, E. R. Ferris, C. S. Stewart, I. Knox, R. Wiggins, F. P. Rowe, Mrs. John Barton and two children, M. S. Read, C. W. Bryoner, John Howell and two children, A. Nichols and wife.

For San Diego—H. Johnson, James Findly, Mrs. Satkinson and three children, Miss Grelly, J. A. Salts, C. Ross, Mrs. Smithy, Miss Watchell, S. M. Eneghin, Chas. Lind and twenty in steage.

Mayor Otis in reply to the women last night, gave his full endorsement to the temperance movement, and said he hoped the petition for the suppression of the sale of liquors would be effective.

A Brief Honeymoon.

Garret J. Banta was a well-to-do farmer, residing with his sister, her little family and other relatives on the old homestead at Paramus, near Ridgewood, Bergen county, New Jersey. Banta was a shy, saving bachelor of thirty-six, who for seven years had courted Miss Matilda Westervelt of Paramus. On Saturday the lovers were married at Hackensack by the good Dominie Romaine. They went to the bride's home. On Sunday the young wife saw her husband busily writing. She jocularly asked if he was making his will. He laughingly replied "Yes." That afternoon they rode out, and Sunday night was passed by them together. But at half-past three o'clock in the morning he got up to go to his own home, telling his wife he went thus early to avoid being seen, as the neighbors would make fun of him about his marriage if they saw him going home, and he would take her home on Wednesday.

He was not seen again until about 11 A. M. of Monday. Then some one calling to see him, search was made. Poor Banta was found in the barn, hanging by the neck from a crossbeam just above the hay, dead. He had gone directly into the barn, and taking off his necktie, had thrown it over his hat or overcoat, committed suicide.

In his pocket was found the paper he had written on Sunday in his wife's home, as follows:

"I want Wm. J. G. Zabriske to attend to my business. Give my best love to John my watch and hair chain. Guillaume J. G. Zabriske, if you want my whole rig (horse, wagon, etc.), for what I said, you must take it. Gill, I want you to get a Paterson hearse and let the money in the Paterson Bank stand one year after my death. Don't put any plate on my coffin. Would like to be buried in the Reformed Dutch churchyard with the rest of my family. Ask Dominie Romaine to preach my funeral sermon. Tell brother and sister and mother I am tired of life. Yours truly,

GARRETT J. BANTA.
"Take the money out of the Paterson Bank if you think best."
Banta mixed but little in society, and many wondered that he ever picked up the courage to marry. No provision in his will, was made for the wife, for whom much sympathy is felt. Undoubtedly the poor fellow was insane.—[New York Sun, February 19th.]

The Mines of Sonoma.

A correspondent of the San Francisco Chronicle, writing from Calistoga, under date of March 2d, gives some information regarding the quicksilver mines of Sonoma county. He says: The Sonoma mine, about two miles from Pine Flat, employs thirty men and has a ten-ton furnace. The mine is taking out a large amount of silver. The Rattlesnake mine, two miles further on, is, according to the opinion of some, destined to be the richest mine in the State. There is, however, some doubt regarding the extent of the lead. Passing on two miles further we come to the famous Missouri mine, owned by San Francisco capitalists. The ore from this mine, taken from a tunnel only 75 feet from the surface, yields 15 per cent, there having been a great deal of gold in the days with two small retorts. Below this mine is the Kentucky, recently purchased by the San Francisco Contract Company, and which will be put in running order as soon as the weather will permit. A four-stamp mill is to be erected at this mine. The Silver mine, situated on Mount St. Helena. A large force of men are employed taking out ore.

Heat and Disease.

During the re-heating of the furnaces in an iron establishment in England, says the British Journal of Science, the men worked when the thermometer, placed so as not to be influenced by the radiation of heat from the open doors, marked 150 degrees. In the Bessemer pits the men continue a kind of labor requiring great muscular effort at 140 degrees. In some of the operations of glass-making, the ordinary summer working temperature is considerably over 100, and the radiant heat to which the workmen are subjected far exceeds 212 degrees. In a Turkish bath, the shampooers continue four or five hours in a moist atmosphere at temperatures ranging from 105 to 110 degrees. In enamel work-men labor daily in a heat of over 300 degrees. On the Red Sea steamers the temperature of the stove hole is 145 degrees. And yet in none of these cases does any especial form or type of disease develop itself.

Miss Frank Pott, school teacher in Eyreburg, Me., was brought before a Justice of the Peace for whipping one of her scholars. Miss Pott's weight seemed to be about 90 pounds, and her muscles, judging by her delicate hands and slim wrists, were not much developed. The whipped scholar was a strapping, ugly boy, 16 years old. Learning that the punishment had been well deserved, the Justice expressed his admiration for Miss Pott's pluck and discharged her.

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CODE COMMENTARIES!

BY CHAS. LINDLEY,
Late Code Commissioner.

PART I of this work is now ready for the press. It contains:

I.—Disintegration and Integration of Legal Systems.

II.—Historic Glance at Codification.

III.—Practical Codification and Amendment.

IV.—Appendix. Letter to H. H. Haight and others—Future Treatment of the Codes.

Under the first head are briefly treated—The Philosophy of Law; The Science of Law; Matter and should engage the attention of every lawyer in the State. The author is evidently master of his subject, and has given to it an unsparring, analytical, demonstrative treatment. The work has come in a most opportune moment, containing, as it does, most important recommendations as to the mode of amending the Codes.

The work will be mailed, post paid, by SUMNER WHITNEY & CO., San Francisco, Jan 25 d'w

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Disturbing Elements.

The condition of the average politician now-a-days is anything but an enviable one. The lesson of independence that the mass of voters have learned in the past few years, make them anything but pleasant subjects for manipulation. Two years ago the liberals unceremoniously thrust themselves into the field, shattering the old Democracy beyond redemption and giving the Republicans a scare from which they have not yet recovered. Following them came the Grangers, and notwithstanding their repeated declaration of non-political intentions they have seriously disturbed the even tenor of party politics, and made the couches of political leaders anything but a bed of roses. And now come the Temperance Crusaders to still further complicate the already intricate problem of how to steer the party ships. Outside of Ohio where the crusade first began, it has not taken on proportions sufficiently portentous to seriously disturb the politicians, but there is no telling to what an extent a great popular furor like this is likely to spread, and although the leaders in the movement earnestly strive to unite religious denominations, and to steer clear of politics, the politicians of Ohio already scent danger in the breeze, and see that whatever the intentions of those engaged, it cannot be without political effect. The Cincinnati Commercial says that the crusade is already making the politicians very uneasy, and that the prohibition question is certain to enter largely into the State canvass next Fall and adds, "Whether it is to be fought out on a larger field in the Fall, and to be forced into the front along with the Granger movement, remains to be seen. If, however, it does enter the canvass with other questions that are demoralizing to party discipline, we may fairly anticipate a campaign of more glorious uncertainties than we have known since the breaking up of the old Whig and Know Nothing organizations twenty years ago." Nothing has yet transpired to indicate how the subject will be handled by the existing parties. The Grangers have to be sure, given it a formal endorsement but they do not claim to be a party. It is often said that "this thing will break up the Republican party if it goes on much longer," but on the other hand the leading Democratic paper of the State looks with disfavor on the whole movement. It can no longer be denied that it has become very formidable. Hundreds of saloons have been temporarily and many permanently closed. A great many dealers have gone out of the business, and the demand for all kinds of liquors has been greatly reduced. How the fight is going, can hardly be guessed at until the opposition has been organized. At present there is no community of action and each individual dealer is left to his own devices. But this cannot last long. Meetings have already been held, and though nothing as yet has been done, the danger is too menacing to long permit such inactivity. In this State, though some feeble efforts have been made to initiate the crusade, it does not seem likely that we shall have to face the question immediately, but the disturbing effect such great popular movements have on National politics and the immense interests that in our State are involved in the settlement of the liquor question, makes it a matter of solicitude to our people.

A Compliment to Our Town and Paper.

The Real Estate Reporter of the Pacific Coast pays the HERALD the following handsome compliment: "There is no danger that the beauties and advantages of Los Angeles will blush unseen while the HERALD is published there. Such a paper is worth a mint of money to any town," and after quoting liberally from its columns adds: "There appears to be a general stir for public improvement in Los Angeles."

We are under many obligations to the Reporter, and promise that in the future it shall have no reason to complain of us, though that terrifically long name is provocative of carelessness in giving credit.

Grange Agencies.

The Grangers are evidently getting into harness, and putting their theories into practical operation. In this city they already have two purchasing and selling agencies, established by the State Grange. One was begun in August last, and is devoted to the purchase of farming implements, harness, clothing, and anything a farmer may need. This agency attends to the sale of farm produce, etc. There is also a subordinate agency, the special function of which is to dispose of the products of the dairy, eggs, etc., which began operation on the first of last month. Both are doing a large and increasing business, and report that the farmers generally are taking advantage of the opportunity thus offered of buying and selling without the costly aid of the middlemen.

These San Francisco agencies are but links in the chain that is rapidly extending through the country, and saving vast sums of money to the agricultural classes. In all the important cities they are to be found, and, representing as they do, so large and influential a body, purchases made through them, it is claimed, save great deal to the buyers. These agencies are an experiment in co-operation on a large scale, and the result will be watched with great interest. [Pacific Real Estate Reporter.]

Taxing the Wine-Growers.

The demand of the wine-growers of the State for equal taxation is one that the Legislature ought certainly to heed. At present our system of taxation, both State and National, bears heavily on one of our most important industries; so heavily, indeed, that old and well established vineyards have been uprooted, and the land planted out in other products. California, both in climate and soil, is calculated to supply the world with wine. Our vines are free from the diseases that render the grape so precarious a crop in many portions of the world, and the richness of the product is such as to have raised the highest hopes in its favor. All these hopes have been dashed by blundering legislation. The National tariff has been so manipulated that taken in connection with the internal revenue act, foreign wines are actually admitted to our markets on more favorable terms than the home product, and as if this were not enough, the State steps in and adds to the difficulty, by a double and even triple taxation for state and local purposes. Not only is the land rated for taxation at a high figure, but the vines, classed as improvements are also taxed, and the product in the shape of wine, unfit by reason of want of age for use or shipment is also rated and made to suffer at the hands of the tax-gatherer. By this combination of adverse legislation, the wine business that ought to have been fostered and encouraged, has been nearly ruined. National legislation we can only influence by petition and argument, but the burdens that the State has cast upon our industry can be removed, and not a day ought to pass before the remedy is applied. The Wine-growers are asking no subsidy. They simply demand justice. A great portion of the best vineyard land in the State is nearly valueless for other purposes. Then what is the propriety in rating it at an enormous value, and trying by onerous taxation to render it worthless. Los Angeles county is deeply interested in this subject. She has to-day more growing vines than any other county in the State, and there are yet thousands of acres of hill and mountain side that are the choice home of the grape. With proper encouragement, the future of grape growing is brilliant, and our sunny slopes should yet be crowned with vines whose product would out-vie that of France in her palmist days. The attention of our delegation at Sacramento should be earnestly directed to securing such a modification of the laws as will put a stop to the robbing of vineyards that it has taken years of patient labor to produce.

Legislation Against Polygamy.

The bill reported by Representative McKee from the Committee on Territories concerning the execution of the laws in Utah gives authority to the United States Marshal to appoint deputies in each judicial district of that Territory. The United States Attorney is also authorized to appoint assistants. It is made their duty to attend all the courts. Only male citizens of the United States over twenty-one years of age and for six months residents of the Territory shall be competent to serve as grand jurors, their names to be drawn from a box, a certain number of them being written on slips of paper. In all prosecutions for bigamy or polygamy, or adultery, or any other offense, the first or subsequent marriage by the registration or certificate thereof or other recorded evidence, but the same may be proved by such evidence as is admissible to prove a marriage in civil cases and proof of cohabitation by the accused with more than one wife and child. His declaration or admission that such women are his wives, and his acts, recognizing, acknowledging introducing, treating or deporting himself toward them as such shall be admissible as evidence. Any woman now or hereafter holding the relation of spouse or consort, and not that of a lawful wife, to any man who at the time cohabits with another woman as his wife, spouse or consort, may file her petition asking to be discharged from such relation. The court may, upon a hearing, adjudge and decree her to be discharged and freed from such relation, and give her possession and control of her minor children, together with such portion of the estate and property of the man as is necessary for the support of herself and children. The bill provides that nothing in this section shall be construed as repealing, changing or annulling existing laws against polygamy, and that the probate courts shall have jurisdiction only in cases of wills and estates of decedents, but shall not exercise any other civil or criminal or equity jurisdiction whatever. The district courts shall have exclusive original jurisdiction in all its actions for divorce or alimony, and in all chancery cases or proceedings. All courts, except the Supreme, District and Probate and Justices' Courts are abolished. The last section disapproves and annuls various acts passed in the Legislative Assembly including the ordinance incorporating the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints; an act regulating the mode of procedure in civil cases in the courts of Utah; an act conferring upon women the elective franchise; an act for the organization of the militia of the Territory; an act prescribing the duties of selectmen and the duties of county courts; an act in relation to writs of habeas corpus; an act regulating the mode of procedure in criminal cases; an act regulating elections; an act concerning the property rights of married persons; also all acts providing for the election by the Legislature of Auditor, Treasurer, Surveyor General and Wardens of Penitentiary, so far as said acts provide for the election of said officers by the Legislative Assembly, and all of said officers shall be appointed by the Governor of the Territory and subject to removal by him. The bill was ordered to be printed and recommitment to the committee.

There are now sixteen Massachusetts women who could have married Henry Wilson. This is an increase of four during the past month, and it is not supposed that one-third of the number have been heard from.

The Indians.

The Indian Appropriation bill provides for appropriations amounting to about \$4,800,000—about \$2,000,000 less than the estimates of the Interior Department. All the superintendencies except those of Indian Territory, are absorbed. Since the appointment of Inspectors the superintendencies are not required by the service. The agency at Verde reservation, Arizona, is removed to San Carlos. Forty-five thousand dollars is appropriated for the subsistence of the Apaches on the reservations in Arizona and New Mexico for the confederate tribes of middle Oregon, \$12,000; Klamaths and Modocs, \$17,000; appropriations for incidental expenses in Arizona, \$50,000; California, \$40,000; Dakota, \$20,000; Idaho, \$10,000; Montana, \$20,000; Nevada, \$10,000; New Mexico, \$10,000; Arizona, \$40,000; Washington Territory, \$25,000; Wyoming, \$5,000; Utah, \$30,000; traveling expenses of the Inspectors, \$10,000; The bill provides that for the purpose of inducing the Indians to labor and become self-supporting, the Indian agents shall require all able-bodied male Indians between the ages of eighteen and forty-five to do an amount of work daily equal to the amount of food distributed to them. The Secretary of the Interior is authorized to except from this provision all ungovernable and dangerous Indians and by written order may exempt any ungovernable tribe. The bill provides that no appropriation shall be used for any tribe while a portion of that tribe is at war with the whites. The Board of Indian Commissioners is continued but they are required to examine the agents in the city of Washington.

Besides being several other persons, Egglest, the former arrested in Davenport, Iowa, the other day, proves to be the party known in Grand Rapids as Munell, who beat banks there out of \$4,000 on forged checks. A requisition has been issued for his delivery to the Michigan authorities; but Illinois had previously entered its claim for his distinguished services for victimizing Quincy bankers out of considerable sums of money.

DIED.

In this city at the Lafayette Hotel, March 10th, S. D. Reis, a native of Reckendorf, Bavaria, aged 28 years.
[Funeral will take place from the hotel at 10 o'clock A. M. to-day. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.]
San Francisco and New York papers please copy.

NEW TO-DAY.

MERCED THEATER.

GREAT ATTRACTION AND SUCCESSFUL APPEARANCE OF THE
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Mr. Samuel W. Piercy

At Turner's Hall,

Friday Evening, March 13,

ASSISTED BY

Lady and Gentleman Amateurs.

For Programme see small bills. mrl-3t

Drug Store For Sale.

A FINE AND COMPLETE DRUG STORE, situated on the southeast corner of the Plaza, near the City Hall, the principal place in the city of Los Angeles. The valuation of the drugs, medicines, and so on, is about \$10,000, and can be purchased for \$2,000 in U. S. gold coin, cash. In case the purchaser buys the store, he can be moved easily. We have in our neighborhood several fine villas, which are rapidly increasing in population and wealth. A physician or druggist it will be a great bargain. The proprietor of the store is selling because his business calls him out of the city. All the drugs and medicines in the store have been purchased from the house of Redding, Hostetter & Co., San Francisco. For further particulars apply at this office or to Dr. Geleisch. mrl-2w

Express copy.

A Fine Cooking Range for Sale.

THE ABOVE-NAMED RANGE is a very useful in a hotel or boarding house. It is 12 feet by 3 feet, all in good condition, and consumes but little wood. Can be purchased at a reasonable price for cash. For particulars apply at this office. mrl-2w

Express copy.

Laboratory for Sale.

A COMPLETE CHEMICAL LABORATORY, which contains a fine oven, on the latest style of Gault Kestel, and the best one south of San Francisco. It has made the best assays for every kind of minerals. For more particulars enquire at this office, or of Dr. V. Geleisch. mrl-2w

Express copy.

Dissolution of Copartnership

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, to-wit: Mr. Whistler, who has paid the debts of the firm and collected the accounts, do hereby dissolve the firm. M. WHISTLER, do the firm. Los Angeles, March 10, 1874. mrl-2w

WANTED—TWO GERMAN WOMEN desired situations to do family housework, cooking, or washing and ironing. For particulars address M. M. Whistler, mrl-2w

The Hill Improvements.

Water is the all important question in Southern California. Let there be water and everything in the vegetable line springs up and grows with a growth unparalleled in other localities. Orange trees spring up with marvelous rapidity, and the spot becomes a little paradise under the manipulation of industry, wherever water can be had.

The hill lands have been delayed in their sale simply because the arrangements for water were insufficient. The time given for their sale has consequently been extended for two months. A large reservoir capable of containing untold hundreds of thousands of gallons of water is now being constructed. An engine and pump is now on its way hither, which will raise 30,000 gallons of water per hour into the reservoir, more than is now consumed by the entire city of Los Angeles.

All lots must be sold previous to April 12th, for upon that date those that are left will be disposed of at public auction, by the popular auctioneer, Noyes. They will be sold on the installment plan, at his rooms in the Temple Block on Spring street; the first installment payable on the day of sale.

Fifteen thousand feet of pipe are now being laid in the streets, 8,000 feet of which are already in the ground, and a million-gallon reservoir is now being made to supply the lots with water.

The City Surveyor has been ordered to define the grades and lots of Olive, Charity and Bunker Hill avenues, from Hill to Hope; Second street and Temple street from Hill to Hope. This will bring these lands within easy reach of the business part of the city. The distance to the Court-house is less than it is to the Turner's Hall.

Mr. Beaudry being the owner by perfect and indisputable title, offers the following scheme believing that it supplies a felt want.

His various tracts have been surveyed, and plotted in lots of convenient size for residences, upwards of two hundred in number, and the maps, together with abstracts of title, are kept for public inspection at his office, opposite the Pico House.

Any person desiring to purchase can inspect the land, select his lot or lots, and acquire the same, if not previously taken up by another, upon the following terms, purchasers not being restricted to a single lot:

The purchaser or his successor to pay the fixed price of the land selected by him in equal monthly installments, as follows: On lots valued at \$400 and upwards, but not to exceed \$500, \$15 per month; on those valued at \$300 and less than \$400, \$10 per month. Payments in gold or currency and no interest demanded. For cash in hand, a reduction of fifteen per cent will be made.

The purchaser to have immediate possession upon payment of the first installment and on execution and delivery of contract.

The right of the purchasers may be assignable to him, and his assigns to succeed to all his privileges and liabilities; standing in all respects towards the vendor as an original obligor.

Purchasers shall not be restricted to the payment of the installments as above shown, but may make payments in advance, and on such payments he will allow one per cent per month, from the date of payment until said payment would become due.

Upon selection of a lot by a purchaser and payment of the first installment with \$5 in U. S. gold coin, as expenses on the document, Mr. Beaudry, with the purchaser, will execute and acknowledge a sealed agreement embodying the above conditions; and, upon full payment, according thereto, the undersigned will execute and deliver to the purchaser, or his legal representatives, on demand, a good and sufficient and absolute deed of conveyance of the abstracted lands, in form of warranty against grantor, the grantee paying the cost of such deed.

The location is very desirable. All that has heretofore been lacking is water, and that want is now filled. Anywhere else, in as desirable location, lots of this kind, and of this size, could not be had for less than \$500 to \$1,000, and even higher rates. This property is put at the astonishing low price of from \$300 to \$400. But this is not all. This may be paid in currency and a reduction of fifteen per cent will be made for cash in hand.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

THE ST. PATRICK'S BENEVOLENT SOCIETY will hold their Annual Celebration on

.....CHARLES SACRISTE, Sr.,

Tuesday, March 17th.

All Irishmen in the city and county are invited to attend.

The programme for the occasion will be a PROCESSION in the morning, after which a grand ball will be held at their Hall, No. 1, Stearn's Block. In the evening a

GRAND BALL AND SUPPER.

Tickets.....\$2.00

(Admitting gentleman and ladies.

Supper extra. mrs-1d

Dissolution Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between CHARLES SACRISTE, Sr., GEORGE F. ELLIOTT, LOUIS J. SACRISTE, and CHARLES F. SACRISTE, Jr., under the firm name of SACRISTE, ELLIOTT & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, and the assets of said firm transferred to the new firm of CHAS. SACRISTE & SONS, who assume all the liabilities of the late firm of Sacriste, Elliott & Co.

CHARLES SACRISTE, Sr.,
LOUIS J. SACRISTE,
GEORGE F. ELLIOTT,
CHAS. F. SACRISTE, Jr.
February 19th, 1874. 121 1m

ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the qualified Electors of Little Lake School District, County of Los Angeles, and State of California, that an Election will be held

On the 21st day of March, A. D. 7184

for the purpose of electing one Assessor and one Collector for said District. There will also be submitted the question of voting a tax to pay for the school House. It will be necessary to raise for this purpose, the sum of one hundred and eighty dollars.

The polls will be opened at the Public School house in said District, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and two o'clock P. M. of said day.

W. W. ORR,
T. E. LILL,
G. W. MILLARD,
Trustees.

February 28th, 1874.-mrl-1w2

Dissolution.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between C. R. RAPHAEL and GEORGE STEPHENSON, known as the firm of C. Raphael & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business, and all accounts due the firm are to be paid to him.

C. Raphael will continue the business, and Geo. Stephenson will carry on the business of House Painting, Graining, etc.

GEORGE STEPHENSON.
February 27th, 1874. 128 2w

Notice to Stockholders.

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE LOS ANGELES CITY AND COUNTY PRINTING AND PUBLISHING COMPANY are hereby notified that a meeting of said stockholders will be held at the office of Landley & Thompson, in the city of Los Angeles, and State of California, on TUESDAY, the 12th day of March, 1874, for the purpose of adopting a code of By-Laws for the government of said company.

Acting President of said Company.
Dated at Los Angeles, this 24 day of March, A. D. 1874. mrl-2w

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Also, a large number of

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Ranches for Sale.

OFFICE—OPPOSITE THE PICO HOUSE,

LOS ANGELES, CAL.

FIVE building lots near the bridge crossing the Los Angeles river.

ONE lot 50 feet front by 100 feet deep on the West side of New High street, directly in rear of Lazard & Co's store.

ONE lot fronting on Buena Vista street in rear of the above.

TWO lots, Nos. 1 and 2, fronting on Eternity street, adjoining Beaudry Terrace on the north.

SEVEN lots, Nos. 8, 9, 10, 22, 19, 20 and 21, BPK 104, Bellevue Terrace Tract, near the Woolen Mill.

SEVEN lots, Nos. 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 19 and 20, fronting on Hope street and Bunker Hill avenue, between 3d and 4th streets.

FIVE lots, Nos. 13, 14, 15, 17 and 18, do. do. between 2d and 3d streets.

TWO lots, Nos. 11 and 12, do. do. between 1st and 2d streets.

FOUR lots, Nos. 12, 13, 15 and 16, do. do. between Temple and Court streets.

SIX lots, Nos. 11, 12, 13, 15, 16 and 17, do. do. between Temple and Court streets.

FOUR lots, Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 6, fronting on Charity street and Bunker Hill avenue between 2d and 3d streets.

FIVE lots, Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5 and 6, do. do. between 1st and 2d streets.

SIX lots, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 and 7, do. do. do.

FOUR lots, Nos. 3, 6, 7 and 9, do. do. do.

TWO lots, Nos. 12 and 13, fronting on east side of Charity street, between Court and First streets.

FOUR lots, Nos. 4, 5, 7 and 8, fronting on west side of Olive street between Court and 1st streets.

TWO lots, Nos. 7 and 8, fronting on west side of Olive street, corner of Olive and Temple streets.

THREE lots, Nos. 10, 14 and 15, fronting on east side of Olive street, between Court and 1st streets.

ONE lot on the corner of First and Hill streets.

THREE lots, Nos. 16, 17 and 18, Beaudry tract, fronting on Olive street, between 1st and 2d streets.

NINE lots, Nos. 10 to 18 inclusive, do. do. between 2d and 3d streets.

BLOCK 1, do. d. containing 19 lots bounded by 2d, 3d, Olive and Charity streets.

BLOCK 4 do. do. 20 lots, bounded by 3d, 4th, Olive and Charity streets, all 60 x 165 feet.

Water-Pipes have been laid on Third, Olive, Charity, Bunker Hill Avenue and Hope streets.

In the Louisiana Homestead tract, bounded by 7th, 9th, Griffin and Bellevue streets, the following lots will be sold for \$100, except the corners which are \$125. These lie just above Judge King's homestead, receiving the ocean breeze.

Lots 1 to 10 inclusive, Block E.
Lots 1 to 10 do do do C.
Lots 1 to 10 do do do D.
Lots 1 to 10 do do do A.

Each lot having a frontage of 100 feet by a depth of 165 feet. Upwards of 5000 of 4 and 5 inch pipes have been laid for the purpose of supplying these lots with water.

Also, several tracts containing from five to ten acres, within the city limits.

1047 acres of land in lots to suit purchasers, in the San Pedro Ranch, one mile west of the Railroad, with several artesian wells, flowing since the year 1868.

1802 acres of land in the Verdugo Ranch, 4 1/2 miles from the city, with several springs of water, and a considerable quantity of timber.

The Verdugo and San Pedro Ranches will be sold in quantities to suit purchasers.

These liberal terms left open until April 12th, 1874.

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